

## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

CALL FOR BIDS: Sealed bid proposals for the construction of

### **WHISMAN RESERVOIR ROOF SEISMIC RETROFIT, PROJECT 10-31**

will be RECEIVED BY THE CITY CLERK of the City of Mountain View, California, at City Hall, 500 Castro Street, Third Floor, Mountain View, California, until

2:00 p.m., Wednesday, October 26, 2011

at which place and time bids will be publicly opened and read.

The project will be constructed within the City of Mountain View, California, in accordance with the plans and specifications, available for purchase at the Public Works Department, City Hall, 500 Castro Street, First Floor, Mountain View, as follows:

- The first hard copy set of plans and specifications will cost \$35 if picked up at the Public Works Department. Each additional set will cost \$50.
- CDs containing PDF files of the plans and specifications will cost \$10 each.
- Cost of mailing is \$15 per hard copy set of plans and specifications and \$5 per CD for postage and handling.
- All costs are nonrefundable.

Bidders may be able to examine or download PDF files of the plans and specifications at the following locations:

- Construction Bidboard at [www.ebidboard.com](http://www.ebidboard.com).
- Builders Exchange of Alameda County, 3055 Alvarado Street, San Leandro, California, 94577, Telephone No. (510) 483-8880, Fax No. (510) 352-1509.
- Builders Exchange of Salinas Valley, 20 Quail Run Circle, Salinas, California, 93907, Telephone No. (831) 758-1624.
- Builders Exchange of Santa Clara County, 400 Reed Street, P.O. Box 58032, Santa Clara, California, 95050, Telephone No. (408) 727-4000, Fax No. (408) 727-2779.

- Builders Exchange of Stockton, 7500 West Lane, Stockton, California, 95210, Telephone No. (209) 478-1005, Fax No. (209) 478-2132.
- Contra Costa Builders Exchange, 2440 Stanwell Drive, Concord, California, 94520, Telephone No. (925) 685-8630, Fax No. (925) 685-3424.
- Marin Builder's Exchange, 660 Las Gallinas Avenue, San Rafael, California, 94903, Telephone No. (415) 462-1220, Fax No. (415) 462-1225.
- McGraw-Hill/Dodge Plan Room, 11875 Dublin Boulevard, Suite A-118, Dublin, California, 94568, Telephone No. (510) 636-1812, Fax No. (510) 636-1858.
- Peninsula Builders Exchange, 735 Industrial Road, San Carlos, California, 94070, Telephone No. (650) 591-4486, Fax No. (650) 591-8108.
- Placer County Contractors Association and Builders Exchange, 10656 Industrial Avenue, Suite 160, Roseville, California, 95678, Telephone No. (916) 771-7229; Fax No. (916) 771-0556.
- Reed Construction Data/Document Processing Center, 30 Technology Parkway South, Suite 500, Norcross, Georgia, 30092-2912, Telephone No. (800) 876-4045, Fax No. (800) 303-8629.
- San Francisco Builder's Exchange, 850 South Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, California, 94110, Telephone No. (415) 282-8220, Fax No. (415) 821-0363.
- Santa Cruz County Builders Exchange, 1248 Thompson Avenue, Santa Cruz, California, 95062, Telephone No. (831) 476-3407, Fax No. (831) 476-6349.
- Sierra Contractors Exchange, P.O. Box 1389, Valley Spring, California, 95252, Telephone No. (800) 962-4162, Fax No. (800) 560-7266.
- Solano-Napa Builders Exchange, 135 Camino Durado, Napa, California, 94558-6213, Telephone No. (707) 255-2515, Fax No. (707) 255-2749.
- Valley Builders Exchange, 1118 Kansas Avenue, Modesto, California, 95351, Telephone No. (209) 522-9031, Fax No. (209) 522-0616.
- Valley Contractor's Exchange, 951 East Eighth Street, Chico, California, 95928, Telephone No. (530) 343-1981, Fax No. (530) 343-3503.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by cash, cashier's or certified check or by a bidder's bond, made payable to the City of Mountain View and executed as surety by some corporation authorized to issue surety bonds in the State of California, for an amount equal to at least ten percent (10%) of the amount of said bid and no bid shall be considered unless such cash, cashier's or certified check or bidder's bond is enclosed therewith. A bidder's bond will not be accepted unless it conforms to the bond form included in the "Contract Documents and Specifications" for the project and is properly filled out and executed. Blanks conforming to the above-mentioned form can be obtained by request from the Engineer. If desired, the bond form included in the "Contract Documents and Specifications" for the project, properly filled out as directed, may be executed and used as the bidder's bond.

Bidders are to be licensed in accordance with the provisions of the "Contractors License Law," Chapter 9 of Division 3 of the State Business and Professions Code. In addition, at the time of submitting the bid, bidder must have one of the following classification(s) of contractor's license:

#### **Class B, General Building Contractor License**

Contractors bidding the project are strongly encouraged to attend a non-mandatory pre-bid conference prior to bidding. The pre-bid conference is scheduled at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 12, 2011, at City of Mountain View Municipal Operations Center, Administration Building, Training Room.

All proposals or bids must be made upon blanks obtained from the Public Works Department at the City Hall. They must be sealed and addressed to the City Clerk of Mountain View and must be plainly endorsed as follows:

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Bids are invited on a unit price basis for the entire work. The City Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Inspection will be under the direction of the City of Mountain View.

The Contractor may elect to receive 100 percent of payment due under the contract from time to time, without retention of any portion of the payment by the City, by depositing securities of equivalent value with the City in accordance with the provisions of Section 22300 of the Public Contract Code. Such securities, if deposited by the Contractor, shall be valued by the City's Finance Director, whose decision on valuation of the securities shall be final.

For general and legal requirements concerning the work, see the City of Mountain View General Provisions and Standard Provisions, and for specific requirements, see the Special Provisions.

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